IN THE IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA NORTHERN DIVISION, ALABAMA

CARL BRUCE FANNING and BRONDENA FANNING,

Plaintiffs,

v.

NATIONAL CARRIERS, BRUCE NORMAN, JR. and ALLSTATE INSURANCE COMPANY, INC.,

Defendants.

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CIVIL ACTION FILE NUMBER: 2:05-CV-01121-CSC

## MOTION TO WITHDRAW

COMES NOW, Celeste Patton Armstrong, and moves to withdraw as counsel for the defendant, Allstate Insurance Company, in the above-styled action. The firm Slaten & O'Connor expects to file a notice of appearance and assume the defense of Allstate Insurance Company. No prejudice will result to said defendant or other party to this action.

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that I have on this date served a copy of the within and foregoing document upon:

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by placing a copy of same in the United States Mail in a properly addressed envelope with sufficient postage thereon to ensure delivery.

This the day of January, 2006.

OF COUNSEL